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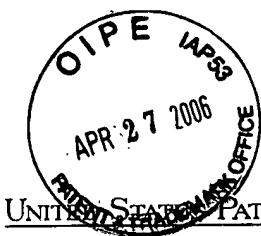
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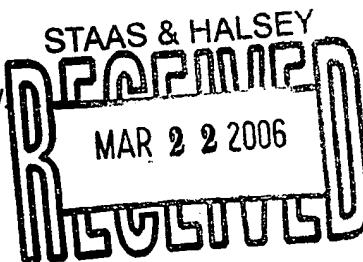


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Foreign Applications

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Method and station for transmitting data in a radio communication system

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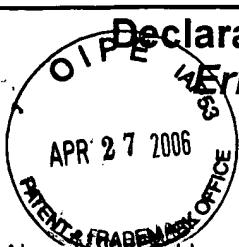
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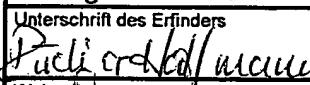
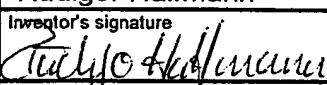
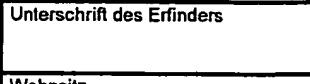
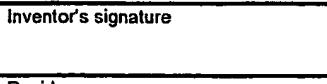
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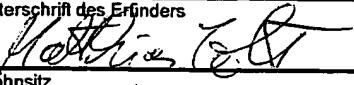
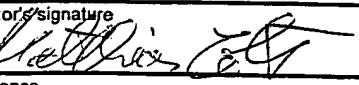
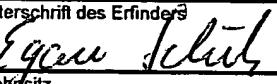
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